

Greetings,

It is obvious that, in our current society, despite the presence of the Internet and other media, most Americans continue to receive the vast majority of their information regarding democracy, politics, values, history, and culture from television entertainment programming.

Consequently, the FCC should take steps to promote on television the multiplicity of voices that the Supreme Court says are a government interest of the highest order under the First Amendment's protection of free expression.

However, it is my fear that the FCC is moving swiftly in the other direction. Media monopolies are, and will continue to, squelch the democratic voice in our society. I urge the FCC to uphold the cornerstone of American society:  
DEMOCRACY!